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PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

CHENG et al.

Group Art Unit: 2882

Application No.: 09/743,717

Examiner: Song, K.

Filed: March 13, 2001

Attorney Dkt. No.: 01200.452

Title: DEVICE FOR DETECTING A PARAMETER ASSOCIATED WITH THE
STATE OF A VEHICLE, ESPECIALLY AN AUTOMOBILE

**NOTICE OF APPEAL TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS
AND INTERFERENCES AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Date: February 27, 2003

Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences
from the Decision of the Primary Examiner dated August 29, 2002 finally rejecting
claims 1-13.

The \$320.00 Appeal Fee is attached.

The shortened statutory period expiring on November 29, 2002, it is hereby
requested that the period for response be extended for 3 months. Also included in our
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of Appeal, which is the difference between the two-month extension of time (previously
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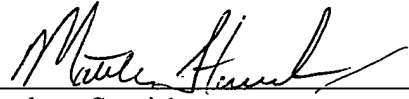
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